

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please add immediately after the Title on page 1 the following statement of priority in the present case:

-- This application claims benefit, under U.S.C. §119 or §365 of French Application Number 97/15389, filed December 7, 1997; and PCT/FR98/02635 filed December 7, 1998. ---

Please add the heading: --BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS-- between lines 14 and 15 on page 24.

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